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FOLLOWING IS ARRIVAL STATEMENT AS DELIVERED:

1. MR. MINISTERS AND MR. AMBASSADORS AND OFFICIALS, I AM DELIGHTED TO BE IN TOKYO LITERALLY DAYS AFTER THE NEW CARTER ADMINISTRATION HAS ASSUMED OFFICE IN MY OWN COUNTRY, THE UNITED STATES. PRESIDENT CARTER HAS ASKED ME TO COME TO TOKYO TO EXPRESS HIS PERSONAL GREETINGS AND BEST WISHES TO THE PEOPLE OF JAPAN, AND TO BEGIN TALKS AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE MOMENT, TO DEVELOP THE CLOSEST POSSIBLE COOPERATIVE RELATIONSHIP AND PARTNERSHIP WITH THE GOVERNMENT AND ITS LEADERS HERE IN JAPAN. MY TRIP UNDERSCORES THE IMPORTANCE THE CARTER ADMINISTRATION ATTACHES TO THE DEEPENING COOPERATION AMONG THE INDUSTRIALIZED DEMOCRACIES, AND I HAVE COME TO REAFFIRM OUR CONTINUED INTEREST AND INVOLVEMENT IN THE PACIFIC-ASIAN REGION. I HAVE COME TO LISTEN TO THE VIEWS OF YOUR GOVERNMENT,
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AND TO ASSURE THAT OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS SUSTAIN THE CLOSEST POSSIBLE COOPERATIVE WORKING RELATIONSHIP, BASED ON MUTUAL RESPECT AND PARTNERSHIP. AND IT IS FITTING THAT WE SHOULD CONSULT TOGETHER AT THIS TIME. THERE IS NO NATION WITH WHOM WE SHARE A BROADER RANGE OF INTERESTS THAN JAPAN. WILL BE DISCUSSING MANY COMMON INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS WITH PRIME MINITER FUKUDA, INCLUDING ECONOMIC

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STIMULATION IN THE INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRIES BECAUSE WE
RECOGNIZE THE IMPACT THAT DOMESTIC ECONOMIC MEASURES HAVE
ON THE WORLD ECONOMY; WE WILL BE DISCUSSING TRADE NEGO-
TIATIONS, BECAUSE WE RCOGNIZE THE NEED FOR ALL NATIONS
TO AVOIDHMEASURES WHICH, IN THE LONG RUN, ARE HARMUFL
TO ALL; AND WE WILL BE DISCUSSING OTHER ISSUES IN WHICH
WE HAVE CONVERGING INTERESTS.

2. I CAN ASSURE YOU THAT THE CARTER ADMINISTRATION
REGARDS CLOSE TIES WITH JAPAN AS ONE OF THE CORNERSTONES
OF OUR FOREIGN POLICY AND AN INDISPENSIBLE PREREQUISITE
FOR ANY SUCCESSFUL EFFORT TO MANAGE INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC
PROBLEMS AND TO DEVISE WISH AND EQUITABLE SOLUTIONS FOR
GLOBAL PROBLEMS.

3. I LOOK FORWARD TO MY DISCUSSIONS WITH THE PRIME
MINISTER. WE INTEND TO CONSULT FULLY AND FRANKLY, AND
TO NURTURE THAT SPIRIT OF COOPERATION THAT HAS COME
TO MARK THE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN OUR TWO GREAT
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